

IMPORTANT RECYCLING NEWS



Two billion more beverage containers now redeemable for cash

What beverages are subject to CRV?

"Beverage" as defined by the California Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act includes any of the following liquid, ready-to-drink products in glass, plastic, aluminum, or bi-metal containers:

- **Beer and malt beverages**...for example: Bartles & Jaymes, Budweiser, Coors, Corona, Guinness, Heineken, Miller, Pete's, Samuel Adams, Sapporo, Zima, etc.
- **Wine and distilled spirit coolers**...for example: Franzia Wine Coolers, etc.
- **Carbonated fruit drinks**...for example: Martinelli's Sparkling Cider
- **Noncarbonated fruit drinks that contain any percentage of fruit juice**...for example: Hi-C, Margarita Mix, V8 Splash, Gerber Juice (all flavors), Hansen Fruit Juice (all flavors), etc.
- **Carbonated water, including soda and carbonated mineral water**...for example: Crystal Geyser Sparkling Mineral Water, Arrowhead Sparkling Water (all flavors), Rainbow Sparkling Water, etc.
- **Coffee and tea beverages**...for example: Coffee House (all flavors), Genuine Iced Coffee (all flavors), Kona Latte, Starbucks Frappuccino Coffee, Arizona Iced Tea (all flavors), Celestial Seasonings Tea (all flavors), Lipton Iced Tea, etc.
- **Noncarbonated water, including noncarbonated mineral water**...for example: Alhambra Distilled Water, Arrowhead Mountain Spring Water, Calistoga Mountain Spring Water, Evian, Aqua ice Flavored Water, etc.
- **Carbonated soft drinks**...for example: 7-Up, Coca-Cola, Dr. Pepper, Mountain Dew, Pepsi, Sprite, etc.
- **"Sport" drinks**...for example: All Sport, Chiquita Sports Blast, Dynamite, Gatorade (all flavors), etc.

How much is the deposit?

The California Refund Value (CRV) remains 2.5 cents on containers less than 24 ounces, 5 cents on containers 24 ounces or larger.

Where can I redeem containers?

There are more than 2,000 convenient recycling centers in California. For a center near you, call

1-800-RECYCLE.

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